



# UB Highlights

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## **Purple Knights Home Athletic Events November 1-15, 2010**



### **Men's Basketball**

Nov. 1 (Mon.), 7 p.m., Fairfield @ Arena at Harbor Yard (Exhibition)

Nov. 7 (Sun.), 1 p.m., UConn @ XL Center, Hartford (Exhibition)

Nov. 13 (Sat.), 3 p.m., Assumption @ Hubbell Gym (Purple Knight Classic)

Nov. 14 (Sun.), 3:30 p.m., SCSU @ Hubbell Gym (Purple Knight Classic)

### **Men's Soccer**

Nov. 5 (Fri.), ECC Semifinals, site and time TBA

Nov. 7 (Sun.), ECC Finals, time TBA @ Knights Field

### **Men's & Women's Swimming**

Nov. 6 (Sat.), 1 p.m., Manhattan College @ Wheeler Recreation Center

Nov. 13 (Sat.), 1 p.m., 2nd Annual Purple & White Intrasquad Meet @ Wheeler Recreation Center

### **Volleyball (Women's)**

Nov. 5 (Fri.), 6 p.m., C.W. Post @ Hubbell Gym

Nov. 12-13 (Fri.-Sat.), ECC Semifinals/Finals, sites and times TBA

### **Women's Soccer**

Nov. 5 (Fri.), ECC Semifinals, site and time TBA

Nov. 7 (Sun.), ECC Finals, time TBA @ Knights Field

Nov. 12-14, NCAA First and Second Rounds

## *Late but Great*

*News of the following did not reach us in time for the October 15-31 issue, but hurry and you may still be able to catch these events!*

### **Thursday, Oct. 21, 5-7 p.m. Any Way You Slice It:**

#### **Quilts and Other Works by Denyse Schmidt.**

Opening reception for a show continuing in the University Gallery of the Bernhard Center through December 3. Gallery hours are Mon.- Thurs. 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m.; Fri., 10:30 a.m.-5 p.m.; and Sat., 12:30-4 p.m. A Holiday Boutique will be held in the Gallery December 1, 2-6 p.m. To RSVP for the reception, write to [mjfooster@bridgeport.edu](mailto:mjfooster@bridgeport.edu) or call 203-576-4696. For more about the artist, visit [www.dsquilts.com](http://www.dsquilts.com).

### **Wednesday, Oct. 27, noon-3 p.m. UB Fall Job &**

**Internship Fair.** Mark your calendar, iron your suit, update your resume, get your hair done – and then come to Wheeler Recreation Center for the Fair. To see who is coming to the Fair and what they are looking for, visit <http://www.collegecentral.com/uofbjobfair/>.

Preparation sessions are being offered Wednesday, October 20, and Tuesday, October 26, both 12:30-1 p.m. in Carlson 253. For resume assistance, see <https://bridgeport.optimalresume.com>, or visit Career Services Center, G119 Wahlstrom Library.

### **Thursday, Oct. 28, 4 p.m. Engineering Colloquium**

**Series:** Kurt Long, senior research engineer at NASA Ames Research Center's Fluid Mechanics Lab, will offer an overview, including video, of research experiments at Ames. He is also a shipboard helicopter flight test engineer and has appeared in several "Mythbusters" episodes. Free and open to the public, in Dana 107.

## **Engineering Colloquium Series**

### ***Thursday, November 4, 4 p.m.***

Dr. Linfeng Zhang, UB assistant professor of electrical engineering, will speak. His research focuses on renewable energy, work with thin film devices, sensors and hydrogen fuel cells, and simulation of smart power grid systems. Free and open to all, in Dana 107.

### ***Thursday, November 11, 4 p.m.***

Dr. Zheng Li, UB associate professor of mechanical engineering, will speak in Dana 107 on "Recent Research on Open and Endo Biomedical Surgical Instruments." Free and open to all.

## ***Academic Calendar***

**Fri., Nov. 5:** Last day to withdraw from classes

**Mon.-Fri., Nov. 8-19:** Registration for Spring 2011 Semester

**Fri.-Sun., Nov. 12-14:** Chiropractic National Board Examinations, Part IV.

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**Graduate Info Session**  
*Thursday, Nov. 4, 6-8 p.m.*  
**Bridgeport Campus**

Information will be offered on the following graduate programs: Education, Counseling, MBA, Engineering, and Global Development and Peace. Held on the 6th floor of Wahlstrom Library. Register online at [www.lbpt.bridgeport.edu/ub/gradinfo/](http://www.lbpt.bridgeport.edu/ub/gradinfo/).

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**Athletic Hall of Fame**  
*Saturday, Nov. 6, 6 p.m.*

Four new members will be inducted into the Purple Knights' Hall of Fame in 2010, bringing the total to 70. This year's honorees are **Manute Bol** (Men's Basketball, 1984-85), **Steen Christensen '88** (Men's Soccer), **Latasha Davis '96** (Women's Basketball), and softball head coach 1984-94, **Phil Leibrock**. Manute Bol's 1984-85 teammates will also be recognized at the event. The awards dinner, in the duPont Tower Room of the Bernhard Center, begins with a 6:00 reception. For ticket info, please contact the UB Athletic Department, 203-576-4017, or download reply card (**by October 30**) at [http://www.ubknights.com/livestats/HOF\\_Coming\\_Soon](http://www.ubknights.com/livestats/HOF_Coming_Soon)

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**Fones Alumni Reunion**  
*Saturday, Nov. 6, 6-10 p.m.*

Fones alumni are cordially invited to attend a reunion and buffet dinner following the CDHA Nutmeg Conference, at the Hartford Marriott Rocky Hill (100 Capital Boulevard, Rocky Hill, CT). Bring your yearbook, pictures, and spouse/significant others, and reconnect with friends and faculty. For information, or to register, contact Tamyka Barnes, [tbarnes@bridgeport.edu](mailto:tbarnes@bridgeport.edu), or 203-576-4138.

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**Women's Forum on Money**  
*Tuesday, Nov. 9, noon*

The University Women's Forum invites everyone to come to the 6th Floor of Wahlstrom Library to hear Ward Thrasher, assistant dean of the Business School and director of its MBA program, talk on "Money Management." Bring a bag lunch. Light refreshments and bottled water will be provided. Annual membership is \$15, with proceeds from certain events going to provide UB scholarships. Programs are free and open to the public, and are not limited to members only.



**TIAA-CREF Consultations**

UB Employees may make an appointment, at the following times, for a consultation on campus to help in making financial decisions and to answer questions about financial matters:

Tuesday, November 2, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Tuesday, November 7, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Meetings are held in the Human Resources Department (7th Floor, Wahlstrom Library). To schedule an appointment, call John Moriarty's assistant, Michelle, at 203-281-2403, or email him at [jmoriarty@tiaa-cref.org](mailto:jmoriarty@tiaa-cref.org). HR notes that neither UB nor TIAA-CREF offers tax advice and recommends that you consult your tax advisor regarding your particular situation.

**IDEAL Info Sessions**  
*Wednesday, Nov. 10, 6 p.m.*

Information will be offered on UB's popular adult degree-completion program at Bridgeport (Wahlstrom Library, first floor, Discovery Pavilion), Waterbury (84 Progress Lane), and Stamford (5 Riverbend Avenue). To register, or for more information: for Bridgeport and Stamford, call 203-576-4800 or email [idealinfo@bridgeport.edu](mailto:idealinfo@bridgeport.edu); for Waterbury, call 203-597-9036, or email [ubwaterbury@bridgeport.edu](mailto:ubwaterbury@bridgeport.edu).

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**NY Area Alumni Reception**  
*Thursday, Nov. 11, 6-8:30 p.m.*

UB alumni should not miss this chance to get together in Bedford, New York, at the Pray Automotive Museum/Achievement Center (16 Bedford Banksville Road) for an evening including refreshments and private viewing of over 50 classic cars. For more information, and to RSVP, call 203-576-4151 or write to [rgreenwood@bridgeport.edu](mailto:rgreenwood@bridgeport.edu). For directions, see [www.bridgeport.edu/alumni/events](http://www.bridgeport.edu/alumni/events). Admission is \$25 at the door, with proceeds to benefit the Alumni Scholarship Fund.

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**Admissions Open House**  
*Saturday, Nov. 13, 10 a.m.*  
**Bridgeport Campus**

The November Fall Open House for prospective students and their families will be held in the Bernhard Center and will include a continental breakfast, admissions presentation, campus tour, and faculty "meet & greet." Prospective students may register online at <https://www.formstack.com/forms/UB-OpenHouse>.

# UB ACHIEVEMENTS & HONORS

## STUDENTS & ALUMNI

### ATHLETICS

**Agatha Baliddawa** was named East Coast Conference Volleyball Player of the Week on October 4, and **Terry Masava**, senior, was named East Coast Conference Volleyball Player of the Week (for the second time this season) on October 11.

**Sarah Santos-Churchill**, graduate student, won first place as an individual in a four-team cross-country event hosted by Post University October 13. Junior **Sandra Schmitz** took ninth place and **Patrycia Zera** tenth.

**Linda Velaj** and **Berglind Bjarnadottir** were named, respectively, ECC Co-Offensive Women's Soccer Player of the Week and ECC Women's Soccer Rookie of the Week, on October 4.

### CHIROPRACTIC

**John F. Koloski**, president of the UB chapter of the Student American Chiropractic Association (SACA), and **Riley Rattai**, immediate past president, were honored with Outstanding Service Awards at the annual joint conference of the American Chiropractic Association and the New England Chiropractic Council October 2. UBCC student **Gina Boyko** was elected vice-chair of the National SACA Legislative Committee, and the UBCC SACA chapter received the Most Improved Chapter of the Year Award.

## "The Pride of the Lions"

The winner of the 2010 New York International Film Festival Best Sports Documentary award was "The Pride of the Lions," a film created by Kathy Silver, visual arts teacher at Bassick High School, and her students, chronicling the challenges and triumphs of the Bassick football and soccer teams. The film's premier showing will be November 3, 5-6:30 p.m., in the DuPont Tower Room of the Bernhard Center. The UB community is invited to the event, which is free and open to the public. Please reply to [mjfoster@bridgeport.edu](mailto:mjfoster@bridgeport.edu), or call 203-576-4696, if you plan to attend, since space is limited. The project was supported through the Bridgeport Public Education Fund's Grants for Bridgeport's Teachers and JPMorgan Chase.

## FACULTY & STAFF

### BUSINESS

**James Sagner**, associate professor of finance, recently published *Essentials of Working Capital Management*, which is being featured by the Library on the UB website. Chapter 1 may be found at [www.myub.bridgeport.edu/academics/library/Pages/default.aspx](http://www.myub.bridgeport.edu/academics/library/Pages/default.aspx).

**Gad Selig**, associate dean for business development and outreach, presented "Critical Success Factors for Successful Entrepreneurs in a Technology Field: Do You Have What It Takes to Become a Bill Gates?" on October 7 as part of the Engineering Colloquium Series.

### CHIROPRACTIC

**Stephen Perle**, professor of clinical sciences, received the Malcom J. Doyle Backbone Award from the Connecticut Chiropractic Association, at the American Chiropractic Association conference October 2, in recognition of his steadfast work during the Connecticut State Board hearings.

**Christopher Good**, professor of clinical sciences, has had his paper, "The Great Subluxation Debate: A Centrist's Perspective," published in the *Journal of Chiropractic Humanities*.

### ENGINEERING

**Jörg Krone**, professor for applied mathematics and computer science, South Westphalia University of Applied Sciences (Germany), a visiting Fulbright scholar at UB (until October 15) presented "Genetic and Evolutionary Image Processing Algorithms" in the Engineering Colloquium of September 30.

### NATUROPATHIC MEDICINE

**Kristine DeMarco**, adjunct professor, recently published in the Fairfield *Minuteman's* Healthy Living Section an article on Cox Flexion Distraction Technique, in which she is certified. She is completing a Diplomate course in Rehabilitation of the Lumbar Spine and Pelvis at National University of Health Sciences.

**Did we miss something?** *UB Highlights* is published twice monthly during the academic year and monthly in January, June, and July to inform the University community about UB events and achievements. To comment or to list your event or award, e-mail [Rebecca Salonen](mailto:Rebecca.Salonen@bridgeport.edu), [UBHighlights@bridgeport.edu](mailto:UBHighlights@bridgeport.edu), or call x4988.